

## 2013 NANCY FOSTER SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION CHECKLIST

<b>This checklist is provided to assist applicants in completing the application.</b>	√
I have provided the Standard Form 424 (SF-424).	
I have provided a telephone number, e-mail address, and address at which I may be reached after the completion of the Spring 2013 semester.	
I have obtained Official transcripts from each college or university I have attended.	
The undergraduate cumulative GPA listed is a GPA from ALL undergraduate universities I have attended.	
The graduate cumulative GPA listed is a GPA from ALL graduate universities I have attended.	
I have provided an official certification of enrollment from my current university. If I have not enrolled in graduate school, I've included a list of graduate universities that I've applied to or a letter of acceptance to an accredited graduate program.	
I have listed 2 individuals (one must be my academic advisor) in the references section of the application and instructed them to submit a recommendation to NOAA. I understand that if these recommendations are not received by the application deadline, my application will be considered incomplete and I will not be considered for a graduate sciences position.	
I have provided my Research Proposal that is not more than 3 pages. I understand that my research area should be in support of NOAA's mission and especially the mission of the Office of National Marine Sanctuaries.	
I have provided a Statement of Intent that is not more than 1 page.	
I understand that Financial Need is an evaluation criterion and have included a copy of the SAR and a one page essay describing the impact this scholarship award will have on my education plans and have written my statement accordingly.	
I have signed the Declaration Statement on the application.	